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REFERENCE TO: Mission 1102,

AIRFIELD UNDER CONSTRUCTION
WADI AL JANDALI, EGYPT

1. SIGNIFICANCE:

FIRST IDENTIFICATION OF A NEW AIRFIELD UNDER CONSTRUCTION IN EGYPT.

2. LOCATION:

APPROXIMATELY 31 NM EAST OF AL QAHIRAH (CAIRO)
AND 37 NM WEST OF THE QANAT AS SUWAYS (SUEZ
CANAL) IN THE WADI AL JANDALI AT 3003N 03150E.

3. REMARKS:

SINCE THE JUNE WAR WITH ISRAEL, FOUR NEW AIRFIELDS HAVE BEEN IDENTIFIED ON KH PHOTOGRAPHY
IN EGYPT. IN ADDITION TO WADI AL JANDALI,
NEW AIRFIELDS ARE UNDER CONSTRUCTION NEAR
AZ ZAGAZIG (40 NM NNE OF AL QAHIRAH), BIRMA
(50 NM NNW OF AL QAHIRAH) AND ABU AL MATAMIR
(72 NM NW OF AL QAHIRAH).

4. COLLATERAL:

IN ADDITION TO THE FOUR NEW AIRFIELDS, KH
PHOTOGRAPHY SINCE JUNE 67, HAS REVEALED
EXTENSIVE CONSTRUCTION ACTIVITY AT 11 OTHER
EGYPTIAN AIRFIELDS.

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5 .	FIRST IDENTIFICATION: THIS MISSION
6.	NEGATION DATE:
7.	SUBSEQUENT COVERAGE: NONE
8.	DIMENSIONS/ SPECIFICATIONS: 9,455 X 105 FT NE/SW RUNWAY U/C
9.	MISSION READOUT: THIS MISSION REVEALS A 9455 X 105 FT NE/SW GRADED
	EARTH RUNWAY UNDER CONSTRUCTION WITH 7,725 FT OF THE RUNWAY HAVING
	BEEN SURFACED. A SUPPORT AREA TO THE EAST CONSISTS OF AT LEAST 15
	SUPPORT BUILDINGS.

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